IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

David S. Comay, et al.	Confirmation No.: 4415
Serial No.: 10/767,118	GAU No.: 2167
Filed: January 28, 2004	Examiner: Cheryl Lewis

For: MECHANISM FOR IMPLEMENTING A SPARSE FILE SYSTEM FOR AN
        OPERATING SYSTEM PARTITION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2008, the shortened statutory

period for which runs until January 21, 2009.